leves is washing badly, and the crevased is said to be over 300 feet in width, but it is lioped to arrest the crumbling as soon at it is felt safe to begin sacking. One hundred thousand feet of lumber and 50.050 safets wont to the scene early by barge. General Manager Thorne, of the Texas and Paelfie Railway, reached there early this morning, following expert bridge sangs and carporters, whom he had ordered to precede him. Mr. Thorne expressed the opinion that the break can be mended. The arc of overflowed land was largely increased to-day. No lives or stock have been lost, however, for there was ample warning and the water spread slowly.

TRAFFIC SUSPENDED.
To-day the Texas and Paelfie was forced to suspend traffic over its own line in the vicinity of the break. However, freight and through trains are being operated over the Southern Paelfie rails to Chenyellie, where concetton with the main line of the Texas and Paelfie is again made. The traffic over the Mississippi Valley has been cut off by the La Grange break in the Mississippi. The service between this city and Vicksburg has not, however, been interrupted. The Illinois Central is arranging to handle its valley business over its main line via Jackson.

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The Illinois Central' is aranging to handle its valley business over its main line via Jackson.

No unfavorable news came to-day from other Louisiana points than Hymaila. A valiant fight is in progress from Baton Rouge to New Orleans on the cast bank, and to-night the whole line was said to be holding. There is a reasonable hope that the great levees in the Fifth District will pull safely through.

The problem there is the duration of the flood, now that the levees near Greenville have given away.

The location of the crevasse means a return wave through the Yazzo. In 1807, when there were seven breaks on the Mississippi from the return wave, intreased the flood height 2 feet in the Fifth District. Nothing like this height is expected to be attained if the remainder of the Mississippi line stands fast.

Locally, the situation is barren of events. The fact that the river has been practically at a stundstill for three days has enabled the forces employed to improve the temporary embankments and to accumulate material at various points, to be in readless for use at a moment's notice. While the expectation is strong that the Hymaila crevasse will be closed. The anglifeers are preparing to throw up emergency levees to protect Algiers and the thickly settled towns on the westbank opposite New Orleans.

No danger atlends a back-water overflow in these sections, but considerable damage and great hardships have accompanied it in the past.

Local cotton men, as a rule, don't take a possimistic view of the situation in the Yazoo delta from a crop standpoint. They believe that if the flood passes quickly there will be ample time to recoupt the loss resulting from the present poverflow.

ORDER ISSUED ANNULS ALL YAZOO RIVER TRAINS

(By Associated Press.)
VICKSBURG, MISS., March 28.—As a result of the crevasse at La Grange and Albemarle, traffic on the Vicksburg-Greenville and the Riverside divisions of Yazoo and Mississippi Valley Road has been entirely abandoned, an order annulling all trains having been issued annulling all trains having been issued this morning. Water from the break has spread rapidly, and there is hardly a dry spot between here and Greenville. Under such conditions, and with a lerge negro population, which lives from hand I to mouth, much suffering is sure to follow. Conditions in the overflowed districts are deplorable in the extreme. The river here fell two-tenths during the 21 hours ending at 7 P. M., but this fall will be checked in a day or two, as the water from the La Grange crovasse will find its way back into the Mississippi at this point through the Yazoo River.

WEATHER BUREAU'S RIVER BULLETIN

(Br Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—The
Mississippi River continues to fall from Helena to Cairo, and is about on a stand below. Owing to the break in the levee about five miles below Greenville, no furshout five miles below Greenville, no further trouble is expected to the northward. Stages at Arkanasa City and Greenville this morning were fifty-three and forty-eight feet, respectively, over one footabove the previres high water records of 1877. Below Greaville the flood crest will be somewhat prolonged, as the crovasso water must come back to the Alississippi by way of the Yazoo River.

The crevasse near Lucy, La., on the west side, is now about 359 feet in width, and a large amount of sugar cane land has been inundated. Stremuous efforts fre being made to close this break. Thus far its effects upon the river below have poen limited to a fall of a few tenths of 3 foot.

foot. Stages to-night were as follows: Vicksburg, 51.6 feet, a fall of 0.2 feet; Yew Orleans, 20.2 and stationary.

Heard in Winston-Salem

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., March 28.-

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., March 28.— Mr. A. W. Hicks, for eight years general becretary of the Winston-Salem Young Men's Christian Association, has resigned to take affect May 1st. His successor has not been chosen yet. Winston gold 376,229 pounds of leaf to-bacco this week for \$29,206.71. Boneville and Crutchfield, on the Wilkesbore road, have petitioned the Corporation Commission to require the Bouthern Rallway to put an agent at Crutchfield, where a depot has been since the road was built.

the read was built.

Mr. Rogers, a member of the board, has investigated the claims of the two places, and will make a report to the commission.

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power peculiar to itself. Its cures of scrofula, eczema, psoriasis, and every kind of humor, as well as catarrh and rheumatism - prove

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the best blood purifier ever produced.

Its cures of dyspepsia, loss of appelite and that fired feeling make it the greatest stomach tonic and strength-restorer the world has ever known.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is a thoroughly good medicine. Begin to take it TODAY. Get HOOD's.







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DEEP RUN CLUB RIDERS THROWN

Mr. Christian and Dr. White the Victims, but Neither Much Hurt.

In the inidst of a long and exciting chase yesterday afternoon by the Deep Run Hunt Club two of the most promi nent members were thrown from their mounts-Mr. Frank Christian and Dr. Jo seph A. White. No serious injuries were sustained, but the accidents caused a little excitement for the time.

The riders set out in the early afternoon in excellent trim, and with the prospect of a stirring day before them. The attendance was large from the start. The run was through Bloomingdale farm, down by the railroad and thence in to-

down by the railroad and thence in to-wards Hichmond.

At one point in the chase a picket fence stood across the path of the riders. Dr. White took the fence first, and went over in good style. Mr. Christian came just behind on Ajax, and was thrown in the attempt. Dr. White wheeled around and started back to the assistance of his com-panion, but when he went at the fence again he was himself thrown. The ground had been made soft by reent rains, and the horses could not get a solid foot-ing.

ing. Nother of the gentlemen were badly hurt by any means. Mr. Christian had the skin knocked from his face in a place or two, but otherwise he suffered no great

Apart from the two accidents the hunt was a most successful one. It was livel and stirring from start to finish.

A HOT CHASE

Bloodhounds are in Pursuit of Postoffice Robbers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LAURINBURG, S. C., March 28.—The postoffice at McCall, S. C., nine miles from here, was looted last night by safe-crackers. About one thousand dollars in cash and stamps were taken. At this writing a couple of bloodhounds from the perditentary are giving the leading a bot charge. bandits a hot chase.

BOAT-CLUB SEASON OPENS THIS WEEK

Celebration to Take Form of "Smoker"-May Have Regatta Here.

Owing to the freshets in the river last week, the opening of the Virginia Boat Club's season, which was to have been celebrated yesterday afternoon at the boat-house, has been postponed until the latter part of this week. The house and the rowing equipment had been thoand the four-roughly overhauled, and it was the inten-tion to open up yesterday afternoon with a "smoker," but the high water necessi-tated the removal of the boats to the upper floors of the house, and the work of renovating will have to be gone over strain.

This state of affairs is always expected, more or less, at this time of the year, however, and another week will find the house in ship-shape and ready for busi-

however, and another house in ship-shape and ready for business.

Applications for the two crews are beginning to pour in, and as soon as training begins there will be a lot of good material to pick from. The Virginia Club is now in correspondence with the Ariels, of Baltimore, relative to forming the Southern Rowing Association, which was much discussed hast year.

It bids fair to become an organization this season, and will materially help to stimulate interest in rowing in this section. For the first time in several years, Alexandria will have a crew in training, and counting upon the two Baltimore clubs and two clubs in Washington, the Southern Association, as proposed, should arrange for a first-class regatta in Virginia waters.

While the James River course is the most southermost, there are a number of the Richmond enthusiasis who are anxious to have the regatta here, and if enough interest can be aroused to may be secured. It would prove a very interesting event.

MANCHESTER BOYS ARE WHITEWASHED

Beaten by the Phillies Yesterday by the Score of

17 to 0. By clover fielding, fast base-running and hard litting the Philadelphias yesterday afternoon, at Broad-Street Park, whitewashed the Manchester team, the score being 17 to 0.

To-morrow afternoon Richmond and the Phillies will fight for the supremacy. The tabulated score of yesterday's game

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CADETS DEFEATED

Pennsylvanians Shut Out the Institute Yesterday.

Yesterday.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LENINGTON, VA., March 28.—The University of Pennsylvania, shut out the Cadets of the Virginia Military Insilitate this afternoon by the score of 6 to 6 in base-ball, on the Cadet parade grounds. Four of the visitors' runs resulted from Cadet Carneal hitting two men and two bases on balls. They falled to but Carneal, as only three hits were made off of him, all for more than singles. The Cadets batted Groves, who pitched five innings, for three litts, but falled to hit Caldwell, who pitched the last four; innings. Carneal's support was very rasged, while the visitors saved their pitchers by brilliant field work at times. The visitors play Washington and Lee Monday here. Attendance, 500. Score:

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GREENSBORO, N. C., March 28.—The
University of North Carolina defeated
Brown's University here 12 to 7. Tha
game was slow, the only special feature
being the pitching of Hatch for Brown,
and hitting of Holt and Glies for Carolina. Attendance, 500. Time of game,
2:20. Umpire, Sugs.

R. H. W.

Brown 12 9 5
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Batteries: Brown-Welsh, Whiting,
Hateli, Catch, Clark. Carolina-Green

Monroes Won.

The Olympia and the Monroe base-ball teams not at Forest Hill yesterday atternoon. The Monroes won by a score of 13 to 5. The batteries were:
Monroes-Carter and Rees.
Olympias-Shelton, Morano, Murphy, Howle and Tudor.

Howle and Tudor.

The features of the game were the pitching of Rees and the batting of H. Cobean, of the Monroes.

Other Games.

(By Associated Press.)
Columbian University, 8; Johns Hopins University, 0,
Navel Cadess, 3; Lafayette,, 2,
Yale, 5; Fordnam, 2,
Princeton, 12; New York University, 0,
New York, 6; Atlanta, 0.

Boy Has Hydrophobia.

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Suppolic to The Time-Dispatch.)

Suppolic Ya. March 25.—Frothing at the mouth like one in a fit and snapping at parents and doctors like an angry dog, seven-year-old Robert Williams, son of William Williams, a negre preacher, tonight is dying at his home near Sunbury, N. C. One of his physicians said to-day there was no hope of recovery. The boy is suffering from hydrophobia. He was hitten two months ago by a pet dog, but no bad symptoms appeared until this week. The dog disappeared the day after it bit the boy.

Condition Unchanged.

The condition of America Bertucci, the Italian girl who shot herself recently, is unchanged. At the City Hospital it was said that it would be some days before she could be safely pronounced out of danger.

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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

To Prove What Swamp-Root, the World-Famous Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, Will Do for YOU, Every Reader of The Times-Dispatch May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.



Prominent Men and Women Cured by the Great Kidney Remedy, Swamp-Root. Dover, N. J., Nov. 12, 1902.

I had both liver and kidney trouble for over three years. I tried the best physicians in Washington, D. C., Pittsburg, Cincinnati and Chicago, but received very little benefit until I commenced taking your great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, Swamp-Root. After taking the first bottle I noticed quite a change, which satisfied me that at last I had found the right medicine. I continued right on with Swamp-Root for four months, and by this time noticed such a marked improvement in my health in every way that I felt satisfied that I was cured. But, to be positive beyond a question or doubt, when in Chicago during July, 1902, I went to the Columbus Medical Laboratory, No. 103 State Street, and had them make a thorough and complete microscopical examination.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11, 1902.

Having heard your Swamp-Root so highly recommended for kidney and bladder der compalants, I wrote you for a sample bottle, which came promptly, for which I thank you very much. So pleased was I with the sample that I bought from my druggist a supply, with the result that to-day my kidneys and bladder are as strong as any one's. The puin in my black left me and I feel like a new man.

I had been treated by doctors for uric acid and also for what they termed catarrh of the bladder and kidney trouble. As far as my own experience goes, Dr. Rilmer's Swamp-Root is a great boon to the human family, and although not in the habit of recommending medicines, I feel it my duty to add my testimonial to the thousands of others recommending Swamp-Root.

New York City, Nov. 0, 1902.

A little over a year ago I was taken with never plane in my kidneys and bladder. They continued to give me trouble for over two months and I suffered untold missery. I became weak, emaciated and very much run down. I had great difficulty in retaining my urine, and was obliged to pass, water very often night voy so kindly sent me on my request, I own of the human family, and although not in the habit of recommending medicines, I feel it my duty to add my testimonial to the thousands of others recommending Swamp-Root.

Gratefully yours,

Capt. Woolman Silson No. 1220 H St., N. W.

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease; therefore, when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, fatal results are sure to follow.

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Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys most, because they do most and need attention first.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the world-famous kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health.

Kidney trouble irritates the nerves, makes you dizzy, restless, sleepless and irritable. Makes you pass water often dur-

Gratefully yours,

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more sicking the day and obliges you to get up many times during the
night. Unhealthy kidneys cause rheumatism, gravel, catarrh of
the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints and muscles; makes your head ache and back ache, causes indigestion, stomach and liver trouble, you get a sallow, yellow complexion, makes you feel as though you had heart trouble; you may have plenty of ambition, but no strength; get weak and waste away.

The cure for these troubles is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the world-famous kidney romedy. In taking Swamp-Root you afford natural help to Nature, for Swamp-Root is the most perfect healer and gentle sid to the kidneys that is known to

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EDITORIAL NOTE—If you have the slightest symptoms of kidney or bladder troubles, or if there is a trace of it in your family history, send at once to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., who will gladly send you by mail, immediately, without cost to you, a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, and a book containing many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters from men and women cured by Swamp-Root. In writing, be sure to say that you read this generous offer in The

Richmond Dany Times Dispatch.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at the drug stores everywhere. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Klimer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

"FLOWER MEDIUM" GETS SENTENCE

Number of Prominent People Testified in Her Behalf, but Without Avail.

(By Associated Press.)

the spiritualist, known as the "Flower notable people, including Count Chap-

notable people, including Count Chap-lain Stoccker, was sonteneed to-day to oighteen menths' imprisonment.

The most striking features of the trial were the number and prominence of the witnesses, seventy of whom Frau Rothe summoned for her defense, and the strong faith in the gonulineness of the "revelations" they had witnessed.

Twenty witnesses, including Baroness Von Moltko and George Sulzer, presi-dent of the Supreme Court of Switzer-land, who testified that he himself, being accustomed to weighing evidence, was accustomed to weighing evidence, was accustomed to veganise accustomed to the medium could not have concealed about her undamaged such quantities of roses as were usually showered down at the close of a scance, and he had watched her performances narrowly, being disposed to skepitelsm. She had, he added, told him things concerning his private home life.

Other witnesses of excellent standing testified that during a snow-storm roses with newly fallen snow on them dropped through the celling.

About 150 roses were found in Frau Rothe's clothes by the detectives when she was arrested at the moment one of these flower showers began.

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PRITCHARD'S SUCCESSOR

New State Chairman and National Committeeman to Be Elected. (Special to The Times.Dispatch.)
RALEIGH, N. C., March 28.—The news

RALEIGH, N. C., March 28.—The news from Washington this morning that exunited States Senator Jeter C. Pritchard has been appointed to a Federal judgeship on the Supreme Court bench of the District of Columbia has stirred up much speculation here as to unon whom his mantle of party leadership will fall in this State. The appointment of Pritchard to the judgeship, which, by the way, is for life, and curries with it a salary of \$8,000 per year, takes him completely out of politics, so that successors to him as Republican State chairman and national committeeman from North Carollina will have to be chosen. Those most mentioned here in this connection are Zeb Vanes Walser, of Lexington; Judge W. P. Bynum, Jr., of Greensboro, and Thomas S. Rollins, of Ashevila, the latter being Senator Pritchard's brother-in-law.

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It is understood that Senator Pritchard will call a meeting of the Republican State Committee at Greensboro, to convene sometime during the week of April 6th, at which time he will give up his dual position and national committee man, and request the committee to choose his successor or successors, for there is strong talk of making one man State chairman and another national committeeman. The personnel of the State Committee is such as to assure the selection of a thorough organization man, this being of vital importance, as the appointee has absolute control of the government paironage in the State. The Executive Committee, by whom the se-

lection will be made, is composed as follection will be made, is composed as follows: B. Frank Mebane, of Spray; J. H. Wilson, of Charlotte; H. S. Harkins, of Asheville; E. C. Duncan, of Beaufort; Z. V. Walser, of Loxington; W. P. Bynum, of Greensboro; George E. Buckman, of Washington; D. W. Patrick, of Suow Hill; G. W. Hunt, of Newport; Claudius Dockery, of Raleigh; W. T. O'Brien, of Durham; A. J. Sutton, of Elizabethtown; W. A. Balley, of Advance; E. S. Blackburn, of Wilkesboro; Thomas F. Rollirs, of Marshall.

TWO INTERESTING

BILLS ARE SIGNED.

Governor Montague has affixed his signature to two interesting and impor tant bills. One is that appropriating \$10,-000 to the Stuart monument fund and one to the Stuart monument fund and
granting a site on the Capitol Square for
the said monument, and the other that
offered by Mr. Stearnes to prohibit the
operation and ownership of slot machines,
in which there enters an element of
chance.

The two measures are in effect from the
date of their approval, which was yester-

OBITUARY.

Robert Ellis Henderson

Robert Ellis Henderson died on the 22d instant at his home, "Roundabout Castle." Louisa county, Va., leaving a widow and three young children to mourn the

Robert M. Ellis, of that county. His early years were spent with his father and grandfather, but on reaching manhood he embarked in railroad construction, until a few years ago he accepted a position with the Fullman Company of Chicago, and continued in its service until the end. The intelligent and prompt performance of the duties assigned him won the highest appreciation and regard of his employers, who valued him for his probity, courtesy and accuracy.

His manly virtues and amiable traits of character will long live in the memory of both relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mack's Funeral.

Mrs. Wack's runeral. The funeral of Mrs. V. H. Mack will take place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon from the residence, No. 1834 Carrington Street, and-the interment will be made in Oakwood.

Miss Lucy A. Vaughan. The death of Miss Lucy A. Vaughan occurred at 5:45 o'clock Friday afternoon at her home, No. 22 West Clay Street. She was eighty-three years of age, The funeral will take place to-day.

Funeral of Mr. Courtney.

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The funeral of Mr. William Deane
Courtney, who died Friday morning at
his home, No. 903 West Grace Birest,
took place at 4 o'clock yesterday aftermoon. Delegations from Dove Lodgo, the
Royal Arcanum and the Knights Temphar were in attendance. The services
were held in the Broad-Street Methodist
Church and were conducted by the pastor, the Rev. W. B. Beauchamp, The
pall-bearers were as follows:
Active-Warren P. Taylor, William P.
Marshall, Rutherford Rose, William P.
Campbell, Henry M. Boykin, Lovin
Joynes, Gordon Wallace and members
of Dave Lodge.
Honorary-Aldjor E. T. D. Myers,
Messrs, Charles Seddon, E. A. Baughman, C. C. Walker, Charles E. Boiling,
Jappes B. Winston, S. S. P. Fattsson, J.
Taylor Ellyson, Fred Pleasants, W. S.

Daniel, Norton R. Savage and A. B. Guigon.

ough and complete microscopical exami-nation, which showed my kidneys and liver to be perfectly well and healthy.

Ex-Mayor of Dover, N. J.

Funeral of Mrs. Haynes.

The funeral of Mrs, Warner S. Haynes, who died Friday morning at her home. No. 210 East Marshall Street, takes place at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the Venable-Street Baptist Church. The friends and relatives will meet at the residence at 3:30 o'clock. The interment will be made in Hollywood. The pall-bearers will be as follows: Messrs. Geo. L. Haynes, Andrew Haynes, John S. Harwood, Henry Harwood, Samuel Campbell, John Tyler and John De Jarnette and Dr. J. B. Wood.

Thomas E. Estos.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., March 28,—Thomas E.
Estes, an employe of the shops, who was
accidentally struck on his head while at
work during January, died at his home
this morning from the effects of the injury. The deceased was twenty-eight
years of age and a native of Hallfax, and
son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Estes, of
South Boston. He is survived by his wife.
His remains will be taken to Halifax for
interment.

and three young children to mourn the loss of a most tender and affectionate husband and father.

He was born in Orange county March 1. 1856, and was the son of Joseph M. Henderson, and grandson of Captain Robert M. Ellis, of that county. His early coars were spent with his father and

Edwin H. Ellyson.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA. March 23.—Edwin H. Ellyson, of Danville, died at St. Christopher's Hospital here yesterday. The body was sent to Danville to-day for burial. The deceased was born in Richmond forty-four years ago, married there and came here as a merchandise broker five months ago. He was taken sick five days ago and sent to the St. Christopher Hospital and died after being there but a few days. Mrs. W. O. Miller.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) JENNINGS ORDINARY, VA., March 28.—The funeral of Mrs. W. O. Miller was held at Ward's Chapel this morning, and was conducted by Rev. Dr. Stewart, of Richmond. A large crowd was in attendance,

DEATHS. LYLE.—Passed away, in the seventy-fifth year of his age, 10HN T. IYLE. Funeral THIB (Sunday) APTERNOON from the residence of his sister. Mrs. S. Bassett French, No. 1210 Porter Street,

OSHORNIE.—The funeral of Mr. ELBERT 1C. P. OSHORNE will take place from the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Chas. M. Wallace, Sr., No. 260i F. Pranklin Street, MONDAY AFFER-NOON at 5 o'clock, Relatives and friends of the family are requested to attend without further notice.

TURNER.-Died, at her residence, in Not-toway county, Saturday, March 22th, Mrs. R. R. TURNER, mother of Dr. W. D. Turner, Funeral notice later.

VAUGHAN.—Died, at her residence, No. 221 W. Chay Street, Friday, March 27th, 15-55 P. M., Miss LUCY A. VAUGHAN, in the sighty-third year of her age. Entered from Clay-Street Methodist Church THIS (Sunday) AFFERNOON at 4 o'clock Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

INDEFINITE SHUT DOWN

Seven Big Cotton Mills Suspend Work Entirely.

STRIKE WAS THREATENED

Rather Than Fight Textile Union Miles Shut Down Completely-Seveneen Thousand Hands Thrown

Out of Employment

(By Associated Press.)
LOWELL MASS., March 28.—In pressence to fighting the textile unions of the agents of seven big cotton mills to-day ordered an entire suspension of work for an indefinite period. Two nounced that a canvass of the help showed that upwards of 80 per cent, were nonunion and opposed to a strike. This senti-ment changed yesiorday and when a sec-ond canvass was taken of the loom fix-ors, mule spinners, carders, nappers, weavers and beamers this morning it was seen that the textile council was able mills Monday. Without delay notices of a shut down to take effect at once were posted on the gates and as the piece hands completed their work to-day, the

When speed went down at noon fully 17,000 operatives had been forced into idle-

The length of the shut down is prob lematical, but it is likely to last many weeks, as the unions have been prom sed financial support from the United Textile Workers of America, the Nationcan Federation of Labor and from the local Trades and Lacor Council, composed of forty-five unions. Agent W. S. Southworth, of Massachusetts, secretary Southworth, of Massachusetts, secretary of the Manufacturers' Association, says that if the mill people think that tue thut down will be so for a fortnight they are greatly mistaken. They will last, the says, until the agents are positively idd that all the operatives want to work and when this times comes the agents will consider the matter of resumption. President Conroy, of the Textile Council, who stands as the strike leader, says: "The action of the mill agents simplifies matters. They have simply anticipated us. It they had not declared a shut down we would have tied them up, anyway, and they knew it. This makes it easy for us to handle the men. I can't say what will happen. There may be trouble anyway."

Steals "Sacred Bundle."

PAWNEE, OK., March 28.—When the Fawnee Indiam were dancing near this place several days ago, some unknown person stole the "sacred bundle" belonging to the Siteedee band of the tribe. The sacred bundles of the North American Indian tribes are their most preclous possessions. They are believed to contain the very essence of all that is best and greatest in tribal life. Their origin is lost, so long have they been treasured and handed down to each succeeding generation. The Pawnees were once the most powerful and warulke tribe of the plains, and the loss of this bundle has caused much sorrowing among them. Offich the contents of the bundles are trivial in themselves, but represent an epoch in tribal life, just as a fragment of the true cross would bring to the minds of Christians the memory of Christ.

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Bouth Boston. He is survived by his wife, His remains will be taken to Halifax for interment.

Robert Maxwell.

(Roselal to The Times-Disastch.)
(CHESTERFIELD. VA. March 28.—
The funeral of Mr. Robert Maxwell. a venerable clizen of this community, was held yesterday afternoon at Trinity Methodist Church, of which the deceased was a momber. Mr. Maxwell died on Thursday after a lingering illness, at his home, a short distance from the Courthouse, where he had lived for a number of years.

Mr. Maxwell having moved to this State from the North, only two relagements.

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